## **Location Composition**

Category	0-0.5 MI	0.5-1.5 MI	1.5-3 MI
2010 Population	2,195	19,251	34,911
2010 Households	912	7,832	13,681
2010 Group Quarters	0	136	111

Missionscape: Cultural Bridges

Cultural Bridge	#HHIds	%HHlds
Home Personal Computer-HH Own	684	75%
McDonald's	514	56%
HH Uses Computer For Internet/E-mail	504	55%
Watching Diet (Health/Weight)-Presently	488	54%
Controlling Diet		
Reading Books	466	51%
Non-Presc-For Regular Headaches	452	50%
Voted in fed/state/local election	445	49%

#### Getting Involved

This mission site is located in the North Central Region of the Alabama State Board of Mission. For more information about this need, contact the regional Church Planting Strategist: Otis Corbitt (ocorbitt@alsbom.org)

#### NOTES:

The Location Summary identifies the center of the smallest ring in the map above. The location data provides various types of identification to better describe the location. The GIS data can be used to map the location in Google maps or Google Earth.

The numbers in the Evangelscape communicate the most compelling reasons why this community needs churches and believers to intercede in missional prayer and activity. This community needs eternal transformation that only comes by way of the gospel and the working of the Holy Spirit.

Churchscape indicators reveal a snapshot of the extent of evangelical presence in the focus community.

Location Composition: Listed are the total number of people and the total number of households corresponding to each of the 3 bands indicated on the map on page one.

Cultural bridges are those characteristics that could be used to build relationships with people in the lifestyle group. Various activities, interests, or opinions represented among the consumer behavior characteristics of the lifestyle group offer ways for believers to build relationships with people in the lifestyle group and through that relationship impact them for Christ.

## Reaching Birmingham, Alabama

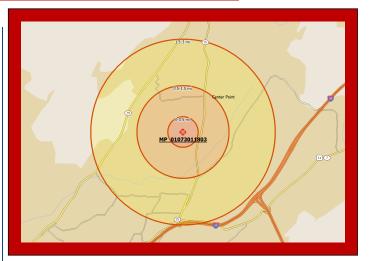
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During the night a vision appeared to Paul: a Macedonian man was standing and with pleading him. "Cross over to Macedonia and help us!" After he had seen the vision, we immediately made efforts to set out for Macedonia, concluding that God had called us to evangelize them.





This location has been identified as one of the top areas in Alabama in need of new churches. This report has been written to assist you in gaining an understanding of where God has gathered concentrations of people in need of Him in order that your church can focus your efforts and resources where He is at work and the need is greatest. May this report assist your church in hearing God's invitation to join Him where He is calling.

### **Location Summary**

Central Street Address 1708 3rd PI NW

Zip Code 35215

State Region North Central Region

GIS Latitude 33.632290

GIS Longitude -86.692380

Sitescape Category Cityscape
Sitescape Group Small Cities



## Top Community Types



Households: 609 Percent: 66.78%

## Working Communities

Most residents are high school educated; some have even been to college. Their education affords them lower middle incomes through blue collar jobs in manufacturing, construction, health services, retail, wholesale and food service that provide a stable household economy supporting personal and family pursuits in everyday life. This ethnically diverse mix of single and married homeowners dwells in densely populated areas and small-town suburbs. Adherence to traditional family values and resistance to authority are key aspects of their psychological nature.

## **Aspiring Communities**



Households: 152 Percent: 16.67% Young, ambitious and culturally diverse, they are the evolving voice of American society. Truth is centered around "me" and everything is interconnected. The majority of people in this group are between the ages of 18 and 34. Sixty percent are renting singles; others live on military bases or in college dorms. They are four times more likely to be unemployed. Of those who work, most live in or conveniently close to metropolitan areas. Career builders who enjoy a moderate income in middle management, they thrive within the IT, sales, administration, education and health care professions.

### **Mainstay Communities**



Households: 83 Percent: 9.1% The backbone of small towns and second cities, Mainstay Communities are established neighborhoods where residents enjoy strong relational ties. These moderately educated wage earners are employed in well-paying blue collar and professional service jobs. The aging adult population consists of retired American singles and couples. A sense of belonging within the community is a key identity factor for those who live there. Outside the nation's larger metro areas, residents can savor the familiarity of the small town cafÃ⊚, or venture into the city to frequent comedy clubs, nightclubs and malls.

## Evangelscape: Spiritual Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	BAND HHLDS	BAND %
Unreached	632	69.25%
Religious but NOT Evangelical	181	19.88%
Spiritual but NOT Evangelical	90	9.85%
Non-Evangelical but NOT Interested	360	39.52%

## Top Lifestyle Segments

#### Steadfast Conservatives

A quietly aging cluster, Steadfast Conservatives is home to mature singles and couples living in midscale urban neighborhoods. Households tend to be white, high school-educated and middle class. Many have begun to empty-nest or are already filled with couples and singles aged 65 years or older. The seniority of many residents does have benefits in the workplace. They earn middle class incomes from skilled jobs in manufacturing, retail and health.



Households: 565 Percent: 61.95%

### Minority Metro Communities

Minority Metro Communities reflects the nation's growing African-American middle class. With nearly three-quarters of the residents African-American and half the households earning more than \$50,000, this cluster is a testament to high educational achievement and professional employment among African-Americans. Concentrated in inner-ring suburbs, these households earn above-average incomes from a mix of service industry and white-collar jobs.



Households: 152 Percent: 16.67%

#### **American Great Outdoors**

A rugged blend of rural couples and retirees makes up American Great Outdoors. Scattered in remote communities around the country, this segment is characterized by aging households-about half are over 65- who like an outdoor lifestyle. These singles and couples live in modest homes, small apartment buildings and mobile homes. There's little emphasis on educational achievement, and one in five did not complete high school.



Households: 83 Percent: 9.1%

### Churchscape: Religious Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	MI RING	RING %
Active Evangelical HHlds	211	23.14%
Inactive Evangelical HHlds	69	7.61%